S. CON. RES. 97

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 23, 2004 Referred to the Committee on Government Reform

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Whereas The Garden Club of America is holding its 91st annual meeting in Washington, DC April 24 through 27, 2004;

Whereas The Garden Club of America has 195 member clubs in 40 States and the District of Columbia, representing more than 17,000 members;

Whereas since its founding in 1913, The Garden Club of America has become a recognized leader in the fields of horticulture, conservation, historic preservation, and civic improvement, and an influential organization in the protection of America's environment; and

Whereas in our Nation's Capital, The Garden Club of America was instrumental in the founding of the National Arboretum, the development of the Archives of American Gardens at the Smithsonian Institution, and the creation and installation of the Butterfly Habitat Garden which now graces The National Mall at the National Museum of Natural History: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives
- 2 concurring), That Congress commends The Garden Club
- 3 of America for the many contributions it has made in our
- 4 Nation's Capital and in communities across the United
- 5 States, and sends its best wishes on the occasion of its
- 6 91st annual meeting in Washington, DC, April 24 through
- 7 27, 2004.

Passed the Senate March 22, 2004.

Attest: EMILY J. REYNOLDS,

Secretary.